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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA
BILLINGS DIVISION

NEIL DEERING, Individually and on
behalf of himself and all others similarly
situated,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

CENTURYTEL, INC., a Louisiana
Corporation, CENTURYTEL
BROADBAND SERVICES, LLC, a
Louisiana Corporation, and
CENTURYTEL SERVICE GROUP,
LLC, a Louisiana Corporation,

Defendants.

CV-10-63-BLG-RFC

ORDER

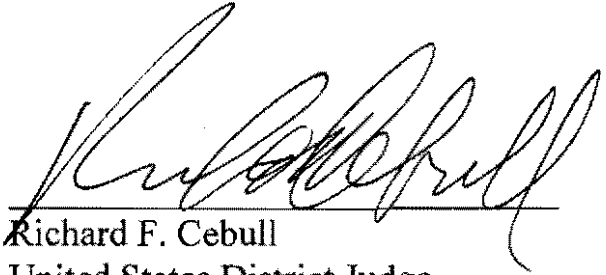
Defendants move the Court for leave to file a 14,000 word brief in support of their motion for summary judgment. *Doc. 45*. Under this Court's Local Rules of Procedure, summary judgment briefs are limited to 6,500 words. L.R.

7.1(d)(2)(A). At the time, the Court had not yet issued its Order dismissing Counts I and II of the Complaint (*doc. 46*) and Defendants asked to exceed the

word limit to allow them to adequately brief all four counts. Since Counts I and II have been dismissed, Defendants have offered no other reason to exceed the word limit, and the best “briefs” are concise, the motion (*doc. 45*) is **DENIED**.

SO ORDERED.

Dated this 17th day of May, 2011.



Richard F. Cebull
United States District Judge